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ACETATE-ETHYLENE COPOLYMERS

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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated June 9, 2003, kindly reconsider the claims in view of the following remarks.

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